

TIE AND TRACK.

THE HAPPY EDITORIAL EXCURSION YESTERDAY.

Further Confirmation of the Los Angeles and Utah Reports—A Mortgage for \$150,000,000 Filed in Minnesota—Notes.

There was nothing of importance going on about the depots and railroad offices yesterday. The San Diego train in the afternoon carried out about fifty members of the press and their families, who were bound for San Diego and Coronado, where they will hold their annual convention during the present week. The crowd was composed of members of the newspaper fraternity from all over Southern California, and to judge from the happy smiles that were playing over their faces, it is very certain that a merrier crowd never got together at the Santa Fe depot.

The local managers of the Los Angeles, Salt Lake and Utal road are still confident that there will be some new developments very soon. They declare that money enough to build the road has been raised in the East, but they will not divulge the names of their backers, and it is not known whether they are stockholders in the Union Pacific Company or Southern Pacific people.

It is very certain, however, that the route has been surveyed from this city across the mountains into Nevada, and work will be commenced at the Salt Lake end of the road and is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

One of the heaviest mortgages ever placed on railroad property has just been filed in Milwaukee. A dispatch from that city says:

A mortgage in favor of the United States Trust Company of New York, covering every dollar's worth of property owned by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railways, excepting the road, was filed with the Secretary of State. The mortgage is for \$150,000,000, and is executed for the purpose of carrying out a funding scheme of the company. The plan is to make the trust company the holder in order to secure a lower rate of interest. The object is to be achieved by the issuance of bonds of the value of \$100 each, to run 100 years. The interest will be 5 per cent, or less than one per cent.

\$18,000,000 will be reserved to retire outstanding bonds, \$8,000,000 will be used to fund the floating debt, and the balance is used at the discretion of the directors.

A recent dispatch from Chicago says:

There seems to be no reason for the suspicion that the Colorado and Alaska will be induced to enter into a merger with the Interstate Commerce or the Railway Association. The officials of that road appear too happy over their escape from the restrictions of the President's agreement to think of placing themselves under centralization so soon. They claim that they are now recovering their share of live stock traffic, not in consequence of the diversion recommended by the association, but in spite of unfair competition.

THE BANTA CASE.

Almost a Month in Court—The Argument.

Thursday next, if it is not then concluded, the Banta will case will have lasted one month, thus making one of the longest trials on record in the Superior Court of Los Angeles county.

Yesterday morning the argument in the case began before Judge Clark. It will be presented five hours, to be distributed among the counsel on each side as they saw fit.

The jurors looked as if they would like to escape 10 hours of legal eloquence, but settled themselves in their seats for the unavoidable deluge as comfortably as possible.

W. T. Williams began the argument for Mrs. Banta and her daughter, the contestants, and talked all the morning and part of the afternoon. His argument was somewhat freer from brutality than usual, but he managed to get into several remarks tending that direction. He argued from the standpoint that William Pierce, the son-in-law of Isaac Banta, deceased, and his wife, Mrs. Lucy Ann Pierce, had entered into a conspiracy to separate the old gentleman and his wife, and obtain possession of the entire estate, excluding Mrs. Banta and the other children. He characterized it as a deliberate and damnable conspiracy and one in which Pierce showed up in an entirely unenviable light. Portions of the testimony which has become so familiar were rehashed and the case was reviewed at length.

Ex-Judge Gardiner followed in the opening argument for the defense. He occupied the remainder of the afternoon in discussing the important features of his side of the case, putting aside much of the testimony as having been introduced, not for the purpose of showing the truth of what Isaac Banta said, but to show the condition of his mind.

He did not consider that Pierce had entered into a conspiracy, but was working for the benefit of the estate, and all that he had done. He analyzed the testimony with a view of convincing the jury that Isaac Banta was of sound and disposing mind when he made the deed of trust appointing William Pierce trustee, and when he made his will.

Today, either in the morning or afternoon, S. M. White, Esq., will make an argument on behalf of the defense. Mr. Metcalf and Judge Anderson will also speak. The arguments will be finished this afternoon.

THE LEGLESS LOTHARIO.

Alfred Norman Explains and Clears Up His Record.

Alfred Norman, the legless man who figured in a rather sensational shooting affair at the Home Mansion, on Fifth street, some weeks ago, over a woman named May West, with whom he had been living, has written a long letter to THE TIMES explaining his relations with the woman, and his position in the case. Norman states that he purposes settling down in Los Angeles and opening a small wood and coal yard here, and for this reason he would like to correct certain statements made concerning him by the woman at the time of the shooting.

At that time the woman stated that Norman was a brute and had seduced her into a promise of marriage, after which he forced her to go into a house of ill-fame and lived off the earnings of her shame.

Norman says that this is false; that the woman knew fully the status of affairs when she went with him, and that he intended to marry her. He also denies that he ever mistreated her in any way, but that he always furnished her with money for her support and took good care of her. Norman further denies that he is a professional beggar, but says that he was a street man, and gave value received for all he got. He furnished a number of references.

From an investigation of the case it appears that Norman was more sinned

against than sinning, and that the woman May West did not tell the truth about him; that while he was perhaps to blame, to a certain extent, he was by no means the brute that she painted him, and that he fully intended to marry the woman.

THREE ALARMS.

A Big Haystack Burned—Narrow Escapes.

There were three fire alarms yesterday. The first was at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and came very near resulting disastrously. A carload of gasoline, standing on a sidewalk in the Southern Pacific yards on San Fernando street, got on fire by some means, and one of the cars was burning fiercely when the boys from the East Los Angeles engine-house arrived. They got the cans out of the car, when it was easily extinguished. It was a very narrow call, as the wooden cases about the oil cans were badly scorched, and had it not been for the quick work of the boys there might have been a disastrous conflagration. The car was consigned to the Standard Oil Company.

At 1:35 o'clock yesterday afternoon, about 200 tons of hay in a big corral near Tenth and Hope street, was burned. The hay was in two large piles, and the fire was started taking place, from which it communicated to the hay. The engines turned out promptly, but could do but little, owing to the rapidity with which it burned. The hay was the property of Dolores Vejai, who was absent at his ranch in Ventura county at the time, and was partially insured. The total loss is estimated at \$1400.

At 6:30 p.m., the engines again turned out in answer to an alarm from the southern part of the city, caused by the explosion of a gasoline engine in a house on Main street between Pico and Carr streets. The stove was thrown out of the house and extinguished without the arrival of KELP.

IN DEEP WATER.

Cornell Thinks There's a Prodigious Tide Against Him.

Sackett Cornell, the editor of the Santa Ana Chronicle, did not return to that place yesterday, and during the afternoon he received a telegram from his mother, who is running his paper in his absence, that he had been surrendered by his bondsmen in the criminal libel case, and to procure new sureties here. Mr. Cornell said that he would have no difficulty in making a bond for any amount, which would be filed at once. He said that just as soon as he received the telegram he surrendered himself to Sheriff Aguirre, who allowed him to go out on his own recognizance to look up bondsmen.

Mr. Cornell is very bitter against the people of Santa Ana, and says that what he is in personal matter. He says that the tide was to get him back to Santa Ana too late to get bondsmen, and then put him in jail over night, after which he would be sent up to Los Angeles as a prisoner. He claims that he is being persecuted because he made a fight in his paper for a Republican in place of a non-partisan ticket. He says that he will not return to Santa Ana.

WELL REPRESENTED.

The Exhibits of Los Angeles County Commanded.

The San Francisco Bulletin of the 5th inst. pays a high tribute to Los Angeles regarding the exhibit at the State Board of Trade rooms in San Francisco. It says: That Los Angeles county takes especial pride in its exhibit at the State Board of Trade rooms in this city is evident from the manner in which articles are constantly added thereto. The latest addition to this already splendid exhibit is a fine lot of different varieties of oil made from crude petroleum, and also a sample of what the oil is made from. The exhibit of Los Angeles county leads all of the others in variety of articles exhibited, and some of the other counties could probably make equally as good a showing as their rival if the same interest were taken in the county's exhibit. While Los Angeles pays strict attention to its display in the rooms of the board, the same may be said of it in connection with the contracting display that country has "California on Parade."

Even though the opportunity is taken to send fresh products to the traveling exhibit, and tomorrow the usual supply will be sent out.

WOULDNT LOWER THE KEY.

Street Fight Between a Couple of Toughs.

W. King, a crop-eared jail-bird who was released from the City Prison yesterday morning, and Bill McInally, another tough, got into a fight on Main street last evening about 6 o'clock, which was cut short by the arrest of both men by Sergt. Fletcher and Officer Collins. King is a very tough citizen, and in one of his numerous fights, had one of his ears chewed off. According to his usual custom, as soon as he was released from prison, he proceeded to celebrate the event by getting full. Mr. McInally was also a regular at the Sullivan-Barin fight, and King went to his joy in the fight, and King thought that he was singing too loud, and requested him to lower the key, when McGinnis resented the unfavorable criticism by pitching into the critic.

BURNED BAKERSFIELD.

It Accepts Sympathy, but Declines Aid.

In answer to a telegram sent by Mayor Hazard to Bakersfield, tendering sympathy for the misfortune of that town in its late fire, and offering to send relief, the following dispatch was received yesterday:

BAKERSFIELD, JULY 8.

Henry T. Hazard, Mayor of Los Angeles: We are deeply grieved at the people of Los Angeles' sympathy and offers of aid, but feel that no assistance from without will be necessary.

RELIEF COMMITTEE,

By C. Brownell, Chairman.

United States Court.

In the United States Circuit Court yesterday, in the case of United States vs. G. W. Grayson, on motion of the United States Attorney the papers were withdrawn from the files.

Waterloo Manufacturing Company vs. John Doe et al. The order of July 2d was set aside and the case reinstated.

Farmers' Loan and Trust Company vs. the San Diego Street Car Company. Hearing on exception set for Friday at 11 a.m.

The court adjourned until Friday morning.

SANTA CATALINA.

Arrival of the Aggie—White Wings, Etc.

AVALON, July 7.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] Sunday was one of the most beautiful days of the season at Avalon, and a large crowd of people came over on the Hermosa to spend the day fishing, riding and boating. A delegation of the Elfin Club sang in the hotel for a while, and among them was Mr. W. B. Hopkins, who has one of the finest voices on the coast.

District Attorney Polley of Pasadena is here for several weeks.

Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. Jewett of Pasadena came over today.

At noon the White Wings came in and soon after the jaunty figure of the Aggie, captain and third pilot, and a few moments later Dick McFarland was on the dock. The Aggie is just up from the San Diego race, and from all that could be learned the race was a fraud. Hancock Banning will probably tell who got the prize La Paloma should have had, and the San Diego papers will probably tell us what is to be done with the "reserved prizes." In all probability they do not know much about yachting at San Diego; at least, they have something to learn. The Aggie was confined to her working walls.

Before sailing, a jolly party assembled in the cabin of the Aggie, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Frank King, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Holder, Charley Ball, Mr. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blankenhorn, Mr. Ellis and W. B. Hopkins. The Aggie sailed for the upper end of the island before night and then goes to San Pedro. La Paloma is expected today.

A change was made today in the Hotel Metropole. Messrs. Ford and Macomber and Mr. Sunseri taking charge of the hotel for the English company. Reports of hot weather reach the island, but here everything is delightful, cool and pleasant, bathing and fishing good.

READ THE LIST.

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HIS TONGUE TORN OUT.

A frightful accident occurred to General Stickney, a prominent citizen of the city and one of the most noted chiefs of the late war. While looking at the men employed in erecting the new county building on Fort Street, raising a heavy iron chain slipped, whirled around, and the hook caught the General's tongue, tearing it from the mouth. The spear, however, passed through the body, and the General was not seriously injured.

He ran, grabbed the chain, snatched his tongue from the hook, stuck it in his mouth, and the spear passed through the body, and the General was not seriously injured.

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PASADENA NEWS.

THE SCHOOL MUDDLE AGITATES THE PUBLIC.

A New City Superintendent of Schools Likely—The New Fire Engine to Be Tested—Woman's Relief Corps Reception—News Notes.

PASADENA, July 8.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] It will be remembered that some time ago we had a very exciting school election. The real issue was as to who should be Superintendent of Schools, and on this issue Prof. Holder, a few days ago prof. Pinckney was chosen Superintendent of Schools for the ensuing year. It has been recently discovered, however, that Pasadena did not have a legal board, and it became necessary for W. W. Seaman, County Superintendent, to appoint a legal board for this city. The gentlemen appointed are as follows: C. F. Holder, W. S. Wright and Geo. F. Kernaghan.

The act of the old board being illegal it will become necessary for the new board to ratify the appointment of Pinckney as City Superintendent of Schools, or else choose some other man. It is more than likely that they will pursue the latter course as Mr. Kernaghan is known to be hostile to Pinckney, and Wright also favors another man.

As a matter of fact the discovery is an exceedingly unpleasant one, as it affects the validity of our outstanding school bonds, and leaves our school affairs in a very bad shape.

In speaking of the fight over the City Superintendent of Schools, the Union says: "The cachinnation has the most mellifluous robustuousness which comes subsequently. Sabe?"

RAPID TRANSIT.

The City Board of Trustees of Pasadena, this morning, gave Capt. John Cross a franchise for operating a rapid transit road through that city, and he now has right of way and a franchise over the ground which he proposes to operate his line. The last barrier has been removed, and he assured this correspondent that work would be commenced immediately, and trains would be running by November 1st. In the East Capt. Cross has the reputation of being a successful and rapid railroad builder.

SNAPS.

The new time table on the California Central went into effect this morning, and there are now 16 trains a day between Los Angeles and Pasadena.

The Knights of Pythias of this city hold a public installation of officers at their hall in the Doty block tomorrow evening.

Pleasure parties to Wilson's Peak are now the fad, and every one who can spare the time is making the delightful trip. A moonlight excursion has been arranged for Thursday evening of this week.

Considerable complaint is made by some members of the fire company that the engineer for the new engine was not a member of the organization.

The anniversary celebration and reception of John F. Godfrey Belief on No. 12, Saturday afternoon, was a complete success. Among the celebrities present were Mrs. Gen. Edward's Mother, Mrs. H. H. DeMolay Commander George E. Gurd. Quite an interesting programme was rendered.

A trial of the new fire engine will be made tomorrow afternoon under the direction of Mr. Teller, representative of the Silsby Company, from which the engine was purchased.

Prof. B. V. Garwood, formerly principal of the North Pasadena school has been appointed principal of the Ahmeh schools, at an advance salary of \$10 per month over that received in this city.

The appropriate committee has decided to invite Gen. Johnson and staff to go to Pasadena to attend the musterin of the company of the National Guards.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Dr. Ormiston, the eminent divine, who has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church of this city, will arrive about the 18th inst., and will be here on the 21st.

The engagement of Edward G. Juddah and Miss Bessie Howard has been announced, and they are the recipients of congratulations.

Judge Enoch Knight represents the Daily Union of this city at the editorial convention now in session at San Diego.

A. H. Conger has returned from a brief visit to Santa Monica.

D. C. Skinner and family leave tomorrow for a two months' visit at Santa Barbara.

H. N. Rust leaves shortly to take charge of his Indian home. His territory embraces Colorado, Oregon and a part of Arizona.

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Mr. Garwood, feeling that injustice has been done him, has submitted to THE TIMES numerous testimonies proving his qualifications as a teacher. He also shows by the record that the vote removing him was not unanimous. He believes the reason for his removal was personal feeling.

BIG FISHING.

A Trip to Bass-banks Off Redondo.

Capt. R. L. Watson and a coterie of friends enjoyed a huge day's sport on Sunday as the guests of W. L. Corson of the sloop yacht Jessie D. The party embarked at Redondo early in the afternoon, sailed out to the bass-banks and there spent the night fishing. The catch was immense, no less than 75 bass being landed by the fishermen of the party. The season's best record was badly broken, and after daylight the party landed and proceeded to enjoy a typical beach banquet.

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SANTA MONICA.

A Drunken Woman Walks Into the Breakers.

SANTA MONICA, July 8.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] About 1 o'clock this afternoon a woman was observed rushing about on the sands near the pier, and was evidently in that condition known as drunk and incapable. Her movements furnished entertainment to the denizens of the beach, but their mirth was suddenly checked, for she made a right-angle turn and walked straight into the water. The breakers were rolling rather hard and as her gait was none too steady she soon lost her foothold and gradually began to drift out. Mr. Maguire happened to be near by at the time, and even waiting to take off his hat, he dashed into the water and soon had the woman on dry ground again. She proved to be Mrs. Hartman, ex-servant in Judge Savage's household, he having discharged her on Sunday evening on account of her continual drinking. A number of officers, including Town Marshal Bartels, were soon on the scene and took her in charge, but as some friends of her's put in an appearance and offered to at once take her to her home in Coldwater Canyon, she was allowed to go with them.

On the 20th inst., or as near that date as possible, the representatives of the Southern California Lawn Tennis Association will meet at the Arcadia for the year and arrange for the annual summer tournament. There will be two delegates from each association club in this part of the State.

Miss Fanny Davenport, the celebrated actress, has written to J. W. Scott, stating that she will be at the Arcadia about the 1st of August, and will remain a month or six weeks. It will be remembered that she passed a part of last summer here.

Messrs. Jones and Carter vs. Woodhouse and Lester are matched to play a tennis contest tomorrow in the courts at Senator Jones's place. They are all good players, so a spirited contest is anticipated.

The beach line between the Southern Pacific's property and that of Messrs. Jones and Baker is being established by a corps of surveyors.

PERSONAL MENTION.

James Craig and family of "The Hermitage" have taken cottage on Second street for the season.

Ralph Chapman of the Santa Fé was among the visitors to the beach today. B. Beville, father of Mr. H. C. Beville, is on a visit here.

Ex-Mayor John Bryson was to be seen about the Arcadia lobby this afternoon.

The names of Mrs. Norton, Miss Richards, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Dowell and Mrs. Mellus should be added to the list already given of the participants in the Arcadia ball on Saturday.

Among the arrivals at the Arcadia today are Mrs. S. P. Behan, J. H. Bohan, Miss Julia Behan, R. Q. Roache and wife, Mrs. Jennie Roache and J. B. Quigley.

MURDERER MURRAY.

Pursued by Citizens of Oceanside—Still at Large.

OCEANSIDE, July 7.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The Fourth of July at Oceanside passed off very quietly, considering the preparation that had been made, owing to the murder of C. C. Wilson, our City Marshal. Early in the day people began pouring into town from the surrounding country, and the first they knew of any trouble was seeing the large flags at half mast, and upon inquiry, they learned the horrid truth. Long before 9 o'clock every saddle-horse available was in demand, and almost every man that could do duty was out in search of the murderer. A party went to Ben Hubbard's, an uncle of Murray, but could not learn anything. They then went to Pres Hubbard's place and met with no better success; but, upon going there an hour or two later, learned that their man had been there during their absence, got his breakfast and gone again. They posted guards at all the houses, and on Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, night and day, kept up a ceaseless vigil, but of no avail. Yesterday morning Sheriff McDowell came up with a large posse, with 20 or 30 from outside, went up and down the country most effectually, but with no better result, and no conclusion can be arrived at where the murderer has gone, but that he will yet be taken no one doubts.

The whole county is up in arms, every pass over the line is guarded, and if he is hiding in the mountains he must come out soon for something to eat or ammunition. It is said he has a good horse, a Winchester rifle, two revolvers and ammunition, all of which he has been provided with since his escape.

There is now \$100 reward offered for him, dead or alive. "Had he been taken to the Fourth and brought into town alive he would never have cost the country so much," said the sheriff.

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NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Proposed Toll Road to Whittier Peak.

Articles of incorporation of the Pasadena and Mount Wilson Toll Road Company were filed yesterday. The capital stock is \$50,000, of which \$2000 is subscribed. The directors are: George F. Kernaghan, C. S. Martin, J. A. Buchanan, W. H. Hugus and George A. Greeley of Pasadena.

The Zion Church of the Evangelical Association of North America, of Wilmington, filed articles of incorporation.

The trustees are: Fred Blume, Amos Gooley, John Hobohob, John Kast, Paul Maurer, J. J. Lemke,

THE SEWER QUESTION.

ITS BEST SOLUTION—VIEWS OF AN ENGINEER.

A Line of Eight or Nine Miles, and the Purchase of Land by the City, to Be Used as a Market Garden.

"Wisdom that is hid, and treasure that is hoarded up, what profit is in them both?"

LOS ANGELES, July 8.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] One of the editorials subjects to the people of any large city is the proper disposal of its sewage. Thousands of persons die every year in the great capitals, because of disease superinduced by the gases which escape from the sewers and the drains and penetrate into the bed-chambers, and thus poison the inmates at night.

Clearly, therefore, it is one of the first duties of those who are responsible for the health of Los Angeles to take such measures as will surely attain the objects sought for. The old system of permitting sewerage to drain through the adjacent soil, even with such a vast area as that of Los Angeles, is fatal. Thousands of people here have wells of fine water, which they use for drinking purposes. The filtering action of numerous substances and these wells will impair the health of the community, and if in larger quantities, would kill by productive typhoid, typhus and other malarial fevers. The citizens here have not, except in a few cases, learned that pure water is essential to health, and that the use of cisterns for drinking purposes, such as are made throughout the Southern States and other localities, is one of the greatest preventives of disease. Scientists, in discussing this subject through the past 20 years, now arrive at almost unanimous conclusions that, in cholera epidemics, those who use pure rain-water from cisterns will generally escape the disease. In Los Angeles the water question has not yet been brought up to a proper standard, and there is necessarily still attention to one fact. Much of the water used, if left for 24 hours in a pitcher or open vessel, will partially putrefy and smell badly. Anybody can test this. But if the water is boiled a few moments on being drawn from wells or waterworks, the putrefying elements will be destroyed, while cooling, settle to the bottom, and this boiled water will be far more conducive to health than that used from primitive source.

Now, it is necessary to carry off all the disease-breeding elements from Los Angeles, to a point where no damage can result to any of our neighbors. On a large scale it is not only easy to disinfect the sewage, and destroy its malaria and stench, but to make it a most productive factor. It is really worth \$50,000 a year or more for agricultural uses, and there are many cities where the owners of large tracts would be delighted to have a sewer projected upon their lands, and be willing to take a contract for 20 years at a large payment to the city. It is very clear that the proposed sewer to the ocean, for which \$1,000,000 will be voted in bonds, will not be built. It would destroy the ocean beach from Santa Monica to Redondo, by having all the sewage and its stench distributed by the waves, throwing it back constantly. When sewage is cast into flowing streams it is not so bad, as it gradually drops to the bottom in minute particles, mixed with the sand or gravel and is chemically disposed of. It must therefore be expected that all the people on the seashore adjacent will strenuously object, and that the court will undoubtedly interfere by injunction and stop the work. That may be considered as a settled question; and Los Angeles can look to some other solution.

That which was suggested last year, and by you again today, is the most practical—to buy sufficient ground at six or eight miles distant, and lease the sewer to that point, leasing out the land for cultivation, and providing irrigation ditches and other methods for the use of the sewage. Disinfectants should be used, which will not cost much, so that no neighbors should be injured or annoyed by the odors which would be brought back toward the city by the usually prevailing western winds in summer.

It has been freely granted that the city would build a large sewer 18 miles long. If half that length is constructed, the amount saved from the building fund would be sufficient to buy 3000 to 5000 acres of land, every acre of which could be rented for market gardens at \$25 per annum. If the total cost of sewer and grounds should be one million, the rental of 3000 acres would produce \$75,000 income with which to pay in full, without a dollar of outlay or expense to the city, the interest of 7 percent on the bonds.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

The Cyclones yesterday defeated the Young Los Angeles nine by a score of 16 to 10.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for Oscar Lewis and R. M. Wood.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to G. L. Bayless, aged 22, and Mary S. Rowe, aged 18, of Saticoy.

The case of Pio Pico vs. Cohn, which was originally assigned to Department No. 2 of the Superior Court, was transferred yesterday to Department No. 5.

Lee Qiong, a crazy Chinaman, was examined finally before Judge Shaw yesterday and turned over to his countrymen, who will ship him to China.

Before Judge Shaw yesterday, in the insolvency case of C. P. Duggan, the creditors elected Simon Maier as signee. A large number of the creditors were present.

There was but one arrival at the County Jail yesterday, a hotel "beat" named William Swales, who was sent up from Anaheim to do 20 days in the County Jail for swindling a hotel man at that place.

The officers of the W.R.C. Encampment meet each Monday in G.A.R. Hall, No. 25 North Main street, to arrange for its part of the work at the G.A.R. Encampment at San Pedro, August 8th, 1889, inclusive.

Last night Mrs. Meyer got on a big drunk at her home on Mateo street, and proceeded to make things very interesting for her neighbors. Officer Farmer was sent for, and brought her to the station, where she was locked up on a charge of drunk and disorderly.

J. M. Garrison and Ed Wilson were caught by Officer Jackson yesterday afternoon on Temple street, when the electric power was taken in for violating the ordinance on that subject. They deposited \$5 each for their appearance, and were released.

The following people left for the north by the Southern Pacific train yesterday: O. Brown, W. W. Murphy, W. O. Marble, Miss Tait, W. E. Height, Miss H. S. Shearer, L. Abrams, J. Dahlberg, Judge Merritt, Miss Herrick, L. J. Rose, J. M. Damron, H. S. Wood, J. H. Ricketts, M. Harrison.

Last night Joe Lindheimer, formerly a special officer in Chinatown, but who has recently been locked up several times as insane, fell down, rupturing himself badly. He was brought to the police station, where an operation was performed by Drs. Morrison, Wing and McLean.

The "moe" case against Frank Powelson came to trial before Justice Lockwood yesterday. It had been set for trial by the Court some time ago, and it was expected that the trial would come off. Word was sent to Justice Lockwood that Hon. J. M. Damron, who is counsel for Powelson, is in San Francisco. The case therefore was again postponed, pending the return of Mr. Damron.

The case against Crawford and three other hoodlums, charged with a crime against nature, was called in Justice Lockwood's court yesterday morning. It transpired that the complaint was wrong, having been drawn under the wrong section of the statutes, and upon motion of the District Attorney, the defendants were discharged. They were remanded to the custody of the Sheriff until a new complaint is drawn up.

The Varian brothers were arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Hugh McGuire, the street-car-driver whom they had arrested Saturday for assault with a deadly weapon, on a charge of battery. The case came up before Judge Owens yesterday afternoon, who discharged the younger Varian and took the case of the elder brother under advisement, pending the determination of McGuire's case, which comes up before Judge Stanton this afternoon.

PERSONAL NEWS

C. J. Hilton of San Francisco is in the city.

J. K. Driscoll of Lowell, Ind., is at the Hollenbeck.

C. W. Brown and H. C. Brown of Chicago are visiting Los Angeles.

William Mackin and James Irwin of San Francisco are at the Hollenbeck.

M. Katzenstein and H. Rosenthal of San Francisco are guests of the Hollenbeck.

George M. Reynolds and wife of Riverside are in town, stopping at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Col. E. B. Treat left for San Francisco yesterday, to be gone two or three months.

W. M. Short, the artist, will leave today for the San Gabriel Canon for a week's vacation.

Congressman Vandever came down from Ventura yesterday afternoon, and took rooms at the Westminster.

Henry Edelman, clerk of Department No. 1 of the Superior Court, was out yesterday, after a ten days' illness.

Rev. Dr. Chichester, pastor of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church, leaves today for a rest of a few weeks in the mountains.

Mrs. May Richards and daughter, Miss Alice, have returned from Santa Monica, where they have been staying at the Hotel Arcadia for the past month.

Ex-Gov. Alva Adams of Colorado is registered at the Nadeau, having come up from the Coronado yesterday. Gov. Adams is accompanied by his family, and will spend some days in Los Angeles. He is highly pleased with the city, so far as he has seen it.

Frank M. Kelsey, of the firm of Bryan & Kelsey, notary public and conveyancer, 17 North Spring street.

Decorative Art Rooms, 124 and 126 West Second Street.

Miss Irene Lamb is closing out her large stock of summer millinery at cost to make room for new importations. Figured silks and stamped goods also at greatly reduced prices.

Hotel del Coronado.

On next Saturday the public will have another opportunity of visiting this magnificent resort. The weather is cool, weak, and depressing, languor at Coronado, but ever glorious sunshine, the air tempered by the never-absent sea breezes which come dancing over the sparkling waters of the old Pacific bringing comfort and vigor to the weary invalid, and happiness to all. See enclosed advertisement.

In Hot Weather

Housekeepers' life can be made sweet as roses by patronizing H. Jeune's immense stock and endless variety of ready-cooked Lunch Goods. 38 and 40 North Spring Street.

Notice.

The finest ocean bathhouse on the Pacific Coast is now open to the public at Redondo Beach. No stings and no underwear. Redondo Hotel Goods.

IF YOU are not pleased with your present supply of Butter try a roll of H. Jeune's.**GALANTINE of wild boar's head, at H. Jeune's.****Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.****PEOPLE'S STORE.****YESTERDAY'S 10c SALE A LARGE-SIZED SUCCESS.**

Food for Thought for Slow Merchants—The Secret of Our Success—Patrons Get Prime Values.

PEOPLE'S STORE, LOS ANGELES, JULY 9, 1889.

Yesterday's 10c sale was another success, and it is food for thought to the merchandisers that make no effort to gain trade. We hear tradesmen say: "What luck the People's Store has. All they have to do is to advertise a sale, and the crowds rush in."

Yet few understand and know that the master of a good trade is entirely a question of mind and not money. The only person who is ever alert to the necessities of the times, who, when he has a sale to offer, does so with the same grace when money is lost than when a profit is made. Patrons get prime values and many times far under first cost.

It may seem like poor business policy to let fly the word of good under cost, yet we do it very often, and with good results.

It is a well-known principle that the larger the buyer the closer the price. In many instances we buy twice as much as we need, and get 10 per cent. less price.

Our principle is and has been to sell the surplus at cost or under, and the smaller, which makes us more popular, at 10 per cent. under the price of any dealer in town. The above we quote to illustrate the reason of our great sales, and the "knock 'em silly" prices we place them at.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

Dress Ginghams, latest patterns, 65c a yard; worth 125c.

All Linen Towels, 5c each.

Unbleached Muslin, 65c a yard; soft finished without dressing.

Seaten-style Foulard, 45c a yard; worth 125c. In this department we have many choice novelties, scores of them seen for the first time. We are offering you today some very pretty patterns of Dress Ginghams at the extremely low price of 65c a yard, one of them worth less than 125c. You must see them to thoroughly appreciate the great reduction we are making.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Combination Dress Patterns, all colors, 24c; worth 45c.

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This combination includes 10 yards of worsted Dress Goods, 4 yards of moss Trimmed, 2 yards of lace, 2 yards of lace to match all for 24c. Do not fail to get one; you will be sorry if you miss this chance.

Thirty-six-inch black or colored Paraffeta Cloth, 16c a yard; worth 35c.

Double-fold black brilliant silk finished silk.

Dress Goods, 17c a yard; worth 35c.

Thirty-eight-inch Drap d'Alma Dress Goods, all colors, 18c a yard; worth 35c.

Forty-inch fine lace, 16c a yard; worth 35c.

Infants' fancy striped Hose, 5c; worth 15c.

Colored silk Crepe, 5c a yard; worth 15c.

Persian Dress Trimmings, 5c a yard; worth 15c.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Men's mixed neck Suits, in brown, summer weight, \$3.40; worth 87c.

Men's frock Suits, neat patterns, very fine fitting suits, \$3.45; worth 87c.

Youth's camisole Suit, in dark mixture, \$3.95; worth 87c.

Men's extra stout Jean Pants, 75c a pair; worth 15c.

Boys' extra fine knee Pants, 35c a pair; worth 15c.

Men's summer Coat and Vest, 90c, very cool and comfortable.

Men's extra length all linen Dusters, \$1.40; worth 35c.

Men's gaunt Undershirts, 5c each; worth 15c.

Boys' seersucker Vests, lace fronts, 15c each; worth 35c.

Men's solid colored, full finished Hose, 18c a yard; worth 35c.

Men's fine silk or satin Soarts, light shades, 25c each; worth 50c.

Men's plain muslin Night Robes, 55c each; worth 15c.

We can give you, in our clothing department, a full outfit, from the finest suit of clothes, at the lowest price, to a box of paper collars. We give today some of the best bargains we can offer. Our youths' camisole Suits at \$3.35 are rare beauties; the fit is perfect; the price is the lowest, and we guarantee you will be highly pleased when you see them; come early and bring the boy to make his choice.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Men's caps, Shoes, 95c; worth \$1.50.

Men's fine bright dongo Kid Shoes, French toe, full-cut vamps, in button, lace or congress, 45c each; worth \$1.50.

Ladies' fine cambric kid-button Shoes, complete, lace fronts, 45c each; worth \$1.50.

Children's grain Shoes, heel or string heel, sizes 8 to 10 1/2, 90c; worth \$1.50.

A full and complete assortment of Bathing Slippers at the lowest possible prices.

The pride of our establishment, the child of our thoughts, and the pleasure of our happy homes, is our shoe department. We have expert knowledge, and are able to select and purchase our stock of Shoes. It is our aim to purchase what will exactly suit our customers, and at the same time to make the price a reasonable one.

HAT DEPARTMENT.

Men's capas Shoes, 95c; worth \$1.50.

Men's fine bright dongo Kid Shoes, French toe, full-cut vamps, in button, lace or congress, 45c each; worth \$1.50.

Children's lace Bonnets, 25c; worth 50c.

Children's colored Mother Hubbard Dresses, 15c each; worth 50c.

Ladies' black or white Corset Covers, 25c; worth 45c.

Ladies' muslin Night Robes, 95c; worth 50c.

Ladies' white Aprons, lace trimmed, 25c; worth 45c.

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT.

Honey-comb Bed Spreads, 35c; worth three times the price.

Bath Curtains, Chains, latest designs, 15c a pair.

Extra-large Smyrna Rugs, \$2.40; worth \$4.50.

Picture cord Wire, 25c yard coil for 10c.

Large-size Drapes, 45c; worth \$1.

GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' ruffled silk Gloves, in tan, gray or black, 45c; worth \$1.

Children's pure silk Gloves, in tan and gray, 25c; worth 40c.

Ladies' four-button kid Gloves, 45c; worth \$1.

SHAWL AND PARASOL DEPARTMENT.

Zephyr Shawls in all colors, 75c; worth \$1.25.

Black alpaca Sunshades, 95c; worth \$1.50.

Ladies' extra-fine jersey Silk Gloves, \$1.00; worth \$3.50.

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

Cabinet Hairpins, 65c a box.

Braided Braid in white and colors, 5c a bunch.

Ladies' colored scalloped-border Handkerchiefs, 5c each.

Gents' white hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 9c each.

Ladies' colored Cuffs and Collars in sets, 15c a set.

Fantier Collars, 25c each; something new and novel, with a very pretty effect.

STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.

Feather Brushes, 5c each.

Boat black Ink, 6c a bottle.

Collapsible pocket Lunch-baskets, can be folded small, 25c.

Indelible Ink, 15c a bottle.

Folding Tin Cups, 25c.

MICROSCOPE DEPARTMENT.

Extra fine toilet Sponges, 10c a cake.

Tetlow's sandwich Face Powder, 10c box.

Black rubber fine Combs, 5c each.

Camellia Powder or Liquid, 35c.

Rosera Cream, 15c a bottle.

Court Plaster, 5c, in envelope; three different kinds.

Florida Water, large bottles, 25c; worth 50c.

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